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Line 16, change "an" to --the--.

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Line 5, after "button" insert --72--; and

Lines 11, 14, 19 and 22, after "determined" insert  
--to be--.

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Line 13, change "edit" to --edited--.

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Line 16, change "cook" to --book--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 7 and 8 without prejudice and  
without disclaimer of subject matter.

Please amend Claims 1, 2, 4-6 and 9-11 as follows:

1. (Amended) An information processing apparatus  
comprising:

reading means for reading image information  
including character data [such as] including a phone number  
recorded in a recording medium;

recognizing means for recognizing the character data in the image information read by said reading means;

registering means for registering the character data recognized by said recognizing means;

searching means for searching [a desired phone number from] the character data registered in said registering means for a desired phone number; [and]

display means for displaying a plurality of the phone numbers searched by said searching means;

selecting means for selecting one of the plurality of the phone numbers; and

control means for performing communication processing on the basis of the one phone number [searched by said searching means] selected by said selecting means.

2. (Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1, [further comprising] wherein said display means [for displaying] displays the image information read by said reading means and the character data recognized by said recognizing means.

4. (Amended) An information processing apparatus [according to claim 1, further] comprising:

reading means for reading image information  
including character data including a phone number recorded in  
a recording medium;

recognizing means for recognizing the  
character data in the image information read by said reading  
means;

registering means for registering the  
character data recognized by said recognizing means;  
searching means for searching the character  
data registered in said registering means for a desired phone  
number;

display means for displaying a plurality of  
the phone numbers searched by said searching means and  
[display means] for displaying the character data registered  
in said registering means in accordance with a type of the  
character data; [and]

selecting means for selecting one of the  
plurality of the phone numbers;

control means for performing communication  
processing on the basis of the one phone number selected by  
said selecting means; and

means for correcting and changing the  
character data displayed on said display means.

Claim 5

Line 3, after "searched" insert --for--.

6. (Amended) An information processing apparatus

[according to claim 1, further] comprising:

reading means for reading image information

including character data including a phone number recorded in  
a recording medium;

## recognizing means for recognizing the

character data in the image information read by said reading means;

registering means for registering the

character data recognized by said recognizing means;

searching means for searching the character

data registered in said registering means for a desired phone number;

display means for displaying a plurality of

the phone numbers searched by said searching means;

Selecting means for selecting one of the

plurality of the phone numbers;

control means for performing communication

processing on the basis of the one phone number selected by  
said selecting means; and

storage means for storing a document to be transmitted.

wherein said control means performs control of  
transmitting the document to be transmitted stored in said

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*(DNC)*

storage means on the basis of the phone number searched for  
by said searching means.

claim 9

Line 1, change "7" to --1--.

claim 10

Line 1, change "7" to --1--.

claim 11

Line 1, change "8" to --1--.

Please add Claims 12-17 as follows:

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*(DNC)*

12. An apparatus according to claim 4, wherein said display means displays the image information read by said reading means and the character data recognized by said recognizing means.

13. An apparatus according to claim 4, wherein the character data recognized by said recognizing means is registered in said registering means in accordance with a type of the character data.

14. An apparatus according to claim 4, wherein said *communication* control means performs control of making a phone call on the

basis of the phone number searched for by said searching means.

*JW/S* 15. An apparatus according to claim 6, wherein said display means displays the image information read by said reading means and the character data recognized by said recognizing means.

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10/1d* → 16. An apparatus according to claim 6, wherein the character data recognized by said recognizing means is registered in said registering means in accordance with a type of the character data.

*G* 17. An apparatus according to claim 6, wherein said control means performs <sup>Communication</sup> control of making a phone call on the basis of the phone number searched for by said searching means. *TL*.

#### REMARKS

Claims 1-6 and 9-17 are in this application, Claims 1, 4 and 6 being in independent form. Claims 7 and 8 have been cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter. Claims 1, 2, 4-6 and 9-11 have been amended and Claims 12-17 have been added to define still more clearly what Applicants regard as their invention. In addition, the